There is a fad among some of the clerks in the stores of Anacostia for the collection of signatures of a manufacturer whose productions are in great demand, and who offers a big prize for a certain number of his signatures sent him One clerk now has more than 800 in his possession, which he has collected during the past two months from his friends who patronize the store in which he is employed. Prior to beginning his present collection, he mailed a large number of signatures to the same manu-facturer and received in reply a letter containing a check for a generous amount. He intends to retain his rignatures until he shall have accumulated 1,000, when he will

shall have accumulated 1,000, when he will mail them to the proper party.

Mr. Abraham Frisble, the baker who, it is said, was robbed some time between closing his store Saturday night last and his opening it Monday morning of a sum of money variously estimated at from \$200 to \$300, has made an assignment.

The meeting of Mineola Tribe, I. O. R. M., which was held last night at Masonic Hall, was largely attended, and the proceedings were interesting, degrees being conferred on several candidates. Great Sachem White of the Great Council of the District of Columbia and a number of other visitors were present.

almost unprecedented interest is being An almost unprecedented interest is being taken among the voters in that portion of Prince George's county, Maryland, which is contiguous to this part of the District, in the pending state campaign. There seems to be special interest among republicans, who express their belief that they have a good chance of carrying the state at the November election.

HERNDON.

Mid ferns and flowers in the Congregational Church Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock Mr.W. S. S. Groh and Mrs. Minnie A. Arnold were married by Rev. Dr. J. K. Meson. The church was filled to its utmost capacity, many being unable to obtain seats. Messrs. E. L. Robey and Ed. L. Garrett acted as ushers, and Misses Bessie Grob and Annie Seesholtz as flower girls. Everything connected with the afir passed off very pleasantly. Misses Hattie and Jennie, daughters of

Misses Hattie and Jennie, daughters of W. I. Robey, have returned from their three weeks' visit at Washington, Hyattsville, Anacostia and Colonial Beach. At the latter place they were guests of Capt. L. E. Robey, at Oneoanta Cottage.

Miss Emma Augusta, daughter of Capt. Cas W. Dey, will celebrate her twentieth birthday by giving a party next Monday exercise.

evening.

The family of Mr. John Buerky arrived from West Virginia last week. Mr. Buerky came from that state last spring.

The Misses Wilkie have disposed of their place to P. B. Buell, and will leave in a few days for Chicago. Ill. days for Chicago, Ill. Camp meeting of M. E. Church South commenced yesterday at Dranesville.
Mr. Henry Jones of Atlanta, Ga., will address the Herndon "School of Finance" at Central Hall Tuesday evening, the 20th instant.

UPPER MARLBORO'.

Dr. R. S. Hill and Mr. A. T. Brooke, a special committee appointed by the directors of the Fair Association, visited Bright rood and invited all the horse men to the fair. They promised to come with full stables-about seventy-five horses. They also arranged for a match race between the pacing mare Nina Noble, with a record of 2.22, and Princess Orloff, record, 2.25, for \$100 a side, the Fair Association to add a purse. This will be the first race on the first day. Entries in the exhibition class of horses have been made by E. Burgdorf, Jos. Cheston, fr., Wm. Birney, the Stratford stock farm and the Riggs farm. Entries of stock have been made by Galloway Cheston, F. Snowden Hill, the Stratford stock farm, C C. Magruder, Benj. H. Brown and Miss Catherine S. Hill. Congressman Chas. E. Coffin will exhibit hogs, and Mr. A. B. Suit hogs and fancy poultry.

Mrs. Lyons of Alexandria, Va., is visiting her sister, Mrs. Robt. A. Clagett.

Miss Lydia Taylor is visiting her sister, Mrs. Jas. M. Latimer.

Mrs. J. Waring Medley is visiting friends This will be the first race on the

Mrs. J. Waring Medley is visiting friends n Charles county. KENSINGTON.

Dr. and Mrs. William Lewis are visiting at Essex, Va. Mrs. Cady and son, Wallace, of Louis-ville, Ky., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs.

Miss Stella Gartrell returned Thursday from a visit to Pittsburg, Pa.
Mrs. Cropley of Georgetown is the guest Mrs. Cropley or George of Miss Polkenhorn.

Gaithersburg.

Mr. Emile Huck and family returned to
Washington Wednesday from a month's
sojourning with Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Fow-

Miss Sadie Kinnear returned Friday from Baltimore.
Miss Jennie Duvall will leave Tuesday
for a visit to Middlebrook.

WASHINGTON GROVE.

A highly enjoyable musicale was given at Hotel Albany Thursday evening. It was in charge of Mr. Percy Foster, who played the accompaniments, besides rendering several solos. Miss Grace Altschu rendered Taubert's "O, Nightingale" and Schubert's serenade, in which she proved the excellence of her training. Her voice is rich and flexible, while her enunciation is almost perfect. Mr. Foster sang several comic songs, including "The Little Alabama Coon" and "The Cat Came Back," which were received with a round of applause. He also rendered Weatherly's "The Holy City," in which his voice was vibrant with City," in which his voice was vibrant with feeling. Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Wn. D. Clark, Mrs. H. Ellis, Mrs. Wm. H. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lemon, Capt. E. H. Ripley, Mrs. Benj Nichols, Mr. and Mrs. H. Turner, Mrs. Percy Foster and many others.

Mr. Wm. H. Allen, superintendent of postal telegraphy, is visiting friends in Boston.

oston. Mrs. Frank Bovee and little daughter are guests of Mrs. Annie Bovee.

Mr. Joe Polkinhorn and family are occupying the cottage of Mr. Oliva Polkinhorn

Dr. M. D. Peck has gone to Cortland, N.Y.

Mr. Perry Allen, private secretary to Chief Justice Harlan, is enjoying an out-ing at St. George's Island, on the Potomac. Mrs. Henry Wilson is visiting friends in Pockylike. The Grovites are busy with their prepara

tions for the annual meeting of the District Epworth League, which will be held nex Tuesday evening in the tabernacle. Capt. P. A. Rearick, United States navy, is spending his vacation with his family on the Boulevard. Mrs. H. Ellis is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Wm. D. Clark.

TAKOMA PARK.

Mr. and Mrs. Jas. Dyre left this morning for a visit to Sea View. Mrs. M. P. Dyre returned from Colonial Beach Thursday with Miss Millie Dyre and will accompany her son and his wife to Sea View, and later

Miss Pettis of Cleveland, Ohio, is a gues at Col. G. C. Kniffin's home, corner of Maple and Carroll avenues, where she will

remain until October. Mrs. H. B. Doyle, with her young daughter Ruth, Miss Ollie Slater and Chas. Slater are spending August at River

Springs, in St. Mary's county, Md. Miss Parkins returned yesterday from fertnight's stay with relatives in Towso id. Mrs. M. A. Gibson returned yesterday rom Colonial Beach, where she was the

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Mrs. M. A. Gibson returned yesterday from Colonial Beach, where she was the guest of relatives.

The weekly lawn social of the Methodist Society was omitted last night.

Notwithstanding the heat, the dance at "The Whittingham" Thursday night was the largest of the season. Many persons from Washington were among those present. Some of those present were Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Crenshaw, Mr. and Mrs. Churchill, Mrs. Jas. Morrison, Mrs. Berta Kempton of Fort Meade, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Cunningham, Buffalo, N. Y.; Mr. and Miss Berehens. Misses Stella Bennet, Kizzie Lewis, Marle Genesi, Nell Darling, Katle Lay, Lizzle Keys, Carol Summy, Florence Smith, Norris of Washington, Dillard, A. Bitzer, May Smith of Winchester, Joe Glasscott, Rogers, Keyser, Ida and Mary Cady, Edith O'Brien, Abrams, Ethel Ran-

dall, Annie Crenshaw, Maud Anderson, and Messrs. Geo. Harris, Edgar Allen, H. P. Rask, B. A. Lynch, A. B. Lyon, Bert Poler, S. S. Carroll, Frank Keys, Harry Keys, Richard Lay, S. Wolf, H. C. King, Smith Cady, Robt. Callahan, Irving Barker, Ed. Keys, Percy and Reeve Barker, Dr. and Mrs. Abrams

Mrs. Abrams.

Miss Cora Norris is visiting Miss Waters of Magnolia avenue.

A large party of Takoma young people leave this evening for a short stay at Coleave this evening for a short stay at Co-kenial Beach.

Mr. Warner Childs is stopping over in New York while en route to this place from a two months' stay on the Jersey coast in the Berkshire hills and other points of in-

terest.

Mrs. J. J. Atwell and family have gone to Loudoun county, Virginia, for August. Mr. Atwell will remain for the present at his home in Takoma.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Haynes have returned to their home after a few days' sojourn at Mr. C. M. Heaton's.

LANGDON.

Miss Florence Smith has returned from her visit to friends in Culpeper, Va.

Mr. C. A. Baker has returned for a few days before starting on his trip to Colo-

The Christian Endeavor Society will open the services at 6:45 p.m. instead of 7 p.m. on Sunday, as announced. Dr. L. C. Loomis is having two very pret-

y cottages built on Montello avenue in

Winthrop Heights.

Miss Verdie, Agnes and William Catterten have gone to Anne Arundel county,
Md., to attend their sister's wedding.

Langdon Lodge, No. 26, I. O. O. F., gave
a picnic Thursday evening in the grove.
After the opening ode was sung, Mr. William L. Mothersead, the chairman of the
evening, then announced the grand representative, F. A. Stier of Washington, who
gave an able address, his subject being sentative, F. A. Stier of Washington, who gave an able address, his subject being "Odd Fellowship." A whistling solo was then rendered by Miss Constance Hurworth of London, England, after which Mr. W. W. Millan, G. C., of Washington gave a very pleasant talk. There were present from Washington, Mr. F. A. Stier, grand representative; William P. Allan, grand representative; William R. Hunt, grand secretary, and wife; Mr. John Brown, grand warden; Mr. L. H. McDade, grand herald; Mr. W. W. Millan, G. C., and others. The evening was interspersed with music. Refreshments were served by the committee.

ommittee. At the installation of officers of Good At the installation of officers of Good Templars last evening the following were installed officers for the ensuing term by Lodge Deputy Mr. I. J. Baker and Installing Marshal Mr. C. B. Cameron: Mrs. I. J. Baker, chief templar; Mr. Oscar Harvey, vice templar; Miss Anna E. Chesky, secretary; Mr. E. P. Sherman, chaplain; Miss Verdie Catterton, marshal; Mr. Charles Watson, deputy marshal; Mr. Reid Baker, guard; Mr. Henry Newall, sentinel; Mrs. E. P. Sherman, past chief templar.

FALLS CHURCH.

The hop given at the "Evergreens' Thursday night was an erjoyable occasion and was participated in by the large number of summer boarders located there, as well as the following: Mr. and Mrs. William Stranahan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur K Raymond, Misses Corinne DePutron, Aida Boernstein, Claudie Curtis, Edith DePutron, Jennie White, Messrs. W. R. East-man, J. E. Jacobs, G. C. Birch, Webb Flagg, Brooke Young, Arthur Flagg, D. B. Patterson, C. W. Parker and Percy Thomp-

Mr. J. H. Price of Loudoun county was arrested Thursday by Special Deputy U. S. Marshal G. W. Hawxhurst, charged with delaying and obstructing the carriage of the United States mail. It seems that Mr. Price, who is a constable, had a warrant of arrest on a criminal charge against the mail carrier from Purcelville to Brunswick, and executed the warrant as the carrier was en route with his mail which wick, and executed the warrant as the carrier was en route with his mail, which fact was reported to the department, and a post office inspector sent out, who investigated the matter, resulting as stated.

Miss Florence Perrigo and brother Paul are visiting friends at Bloomfield, Loudoun

ounty.

Mr. G. A. Brunner, contractor for remodelling the school house building, has commenced work.

Cards are out for the marriage of Mr. Robert S. Whaley of this town to Miss Luella Noble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John A. Noble of Chicago, Ill.

Mr. Thomas Hillier left Wednesday to strend the Potomac Baptist Association

Mr. Thomas Fillier left wednesday to attend the Potomac Baptist Association Lear Fredericksburg, Va., as the delegate from the church here. Mrs. Geo. W. Hawxhurst and daughter, Miss Nellie, will spend the balance of this month and September at West Lynchburg,

Five new lodges of the Good Templar crder were organized last week in the state. The twenty-eighth annual session of the Grand Lodge will be held in Lynchber 3. The supreme templar, Dr. D. H. Mann of Brooklyn, N. Y., will be in at-

BROOKLAND.

Mrs. Wm. Thompson and her three little daughters, Mabel, Elsie and Lillian, have returned to Washington, after a pleasant

stay with Mrs. J. J. Fischer.

Miss Margaret Fletcher of Washington will be the guest of Miss Bessie Lewis of Eckington next week.

Last night the Brookland Drum Corps

met at the town hall. There was a full attendance, but as yet there are a few vacancies, which, it is hoped, will soon be filled.

Mr. Fred. Holton has gone to New York, where he will meet Mrs. Holton, and after lengthy trip both will return to Brook-

land early in September.

The Commissioners have recently been clearing the gutters of Bunker Hill road, clearing the gutters of Bunker Hill road, for which the community is very grateful. The citizens of University Heights say they would be very glad if the same attention should be paid to that subdivision, for the grass has grown to such an extent that it is almost impossible to tell which is gutter and which the brick pavement.

Despite the fact that it is against the law for horses and cattle to run loose in the

for horses and cattle to run loose in the District, these animals roam through Brookland and University Heights. It is District, these animals roam through Brookland and University Heights. It is usually at night when horses and cows are, purposely or otherwise, given this freedom, at a time when the people are unable to watch their property, and often find in the morning their vegetables trampied down and destroyed. The police who patrol this section never seem to see these animals, and fall to afford any protection to the citizens whose gardens are damaged.

The Misses Levi are visiting Brookland for a week or two.

The Brookland M. E. Church will give a Sunday school picnic the 5th of September in the Soldiers' Home grounds, to which all the children, especially the little ones, are invited. Mr. Cissel and Mr. G. B. Johnston have been appointed to look after this affair, and to arrange everything for the pleasure and enjoyment of the children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Stalee of Providence street age at Asbury Park.

At a recent meeting of the finance committee of the Brookland M. E. Church final arrangements were made for the dedication of the new church now nearly completed. It is expected that the ceremony will take place about the middle of September.

Messrs. Armstrong, Hetfleid, McGee, Quinn and Capt. Baumer will leave this evening for a fishing trip down the Potomac.

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson are on a visit

Dr. and Mrs. J. L. Jackson are on a visit to their former home in the Mohawk Valley. N. Y.

LAUREL.

The macadamizing of Washington avenue which has been going on for the past two months and a half, will be completed today. The road, when completed, will cost the town \$15,000. Over \$11,000 of this amount has already been paid Mr. W. E. Anderson of Baltimore, who secured the contract. The work seems to be giving satisfaction to the citizens of the town, and will no doubt receive the approval of the city council at its next meeting.

Mayor Phelps is still negotiating for the

sale of the Main street bonds. The city council decided to float \$23,000 worth of bonds for the improvement of Main street, in macadam style, and placed the negotiation of same in the hands of Mayor Phelps. It is expected that the bonds will be sold shortly and the work of improving Main street begun

be sold shortly and the work of improving Main street begun.
Manager Harbin of the Keeley Institute, who is now in Hagerstown, is expected here today. It is thought he will decide not to rebuild the power house, which was burned down yesterday, but will make arrangements with the Laurel Electric Light

Company to supply the institute with light.

The grain elevator of Messrs. Schooley & Tighe, which has been in course of erection here for several days past, is now practically completed, and will be used during the coming week.

The young society people of Laurel will give a german here August 23. The dance, it is understood, is in charge of the Misses Gorman.

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A call has been issued to the democrats of the Laurel district to meet at Free Quill Hall next Tuesday evening to organize a democratic club, to assist in carrying out the plan of Mr. Lawrence Gardner, to have a chain of clubs all over the state.

James Harrison, ir., died here from the effects of an injury received while playing a game of base ball recently. Young Harrison in sliding to first base injured his spine and paralysis resulted, which finally caused his death. The young man was sixteen years of age at the time of his death.

CARLIN SPRINGS.

Miss Mary King gave an informal lunch Wednesday at her residence, "Hillcroft, on Maple avenue, in honor of her friends the Misses Ossire of West Washington There were also present Miss Helen and

Miss Margaret Stockbridge.

Those of the oldest inhabitants repre sented in the Whist Club met several nights ago for another contest across the card table at the residence of Mr. Olcott on Lirden avenue. Some of those present were Messrs. Jones, Olcott, Backus, Stock bridge and Hedrick.

A small party from the village attended the dance given Thursday evening at Falls Church by Mr. Arthur Flagg, where an enjoyable evening was spent.

The court of the tennis club on Walnut avenue was the cene of several well-fought games a few evenings ago. Wm. H. Stockbridge beat Brooke Young, 6-2; W. M. Mason beat Stockbridge and Young, 6-1

Croquet is dividing the honors with ten Croquet is dividing the honors with tennis among the village folk, two of the residents having laid out grounds on which the former game is played daily. One of the grounds is attached to the home of "Wetumpika." the romanticelly situated home of Mr. White, while his neighbor, Mr. Stocking, rejoices in the possession of the other. It has been suggested that a club should be organized among the adepts with the mallet, so that the tennis club may have a competitor for popular favor in the near future.

Mr. Charles W. Stetson left this afternoon for Stonyman Mountain, Va., where he will spend the next week or ten days with a party of friends who are camping out.

Mr. M. S. Gibson and wife are taking much needed rest in a vacation at Harper's Ferry, Va.

Mr. James Engel and family have return ed home from an outing at Asbury Park, N

Miss Maria Broderick who has been seri ously ill, is much improved.

Mrs. Luke Develin has gone to Asbury

Mrs. Luke Develin has gone to Asoury Park, N. J., for two weeks.
Mrs. Ben. Miller has returned from a three weeks' sojourn at Atlantic City. She is stopping at the Inn.
The trial of Messrs. Fishback and Wright for assault on J. L. Husband at the late republican primary, held at Wheaton has been postponed until Saturday, August 24, 10 a.m. before Justice Condict of Silgo. 10 a.m., before Justice Condict of Silgo.
G. G. Getty, son of Gen. Getty, has just threshed 519 bushels of wheat, the product of twenty-two acres. This is considered a fine yield for this section.

HYATTSVILLE. A lawn fete and concert was given last evening, under the auspices of Keyston Chapter, No. 32, Royal Arch Masons, at "Rose Lawn," the residence of Mr. F. A. Holden, which was much enjoyed by the many persons present. Long vistas of Chigiving it an oriental appearance. Mr. F. A. Holden acted as master of ceremonies The program opened with a fancy dance by Miss Cloffer, which was followed by a comic song by Mr. A. R. Holden, entitled "Father O'Flynn." The Graham brothers then rendered the "Not Guilty March" on the mandolin and guitar with excellent effect, and played a medley as an encore, being assisted with the violin by Dr. Westlake. Miss Lillian Acker sang "Through All lake. Miss Lillian Acker sang "Through All Eternity" with much feeling, and Miss Nina McEwen sang "Dreams" and "Oh, Promise Me" in a manner that captivated the audience. The Laurel Military Band, under the leadership of Prof. H. H. W. Ties, played a number of lively and popular airs. Refreshments were served from the different stands on the grounds. Dancing was indulged in by the young people until after 11 o'clock.

after 11 o'clock.
The ladies of Bladensburg will give an day, the 21st instant, for the benefit of the old Bladensburg burying ground. An excellent band will furnish the music for the Ceasion.
The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. W. H.

Manogue died Thursday at the residen of its parents.

Mr. Douglas' horses again ran away with Mr. Dougias norses again ran away with his spring wagon yesterday, breaking the pole and throwing out the colored driver, who, with the exception of a few slight bruises, escaped injury.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. H. Welsh have re-

turned from Atlantic City.

Miss Bessie McKnew is the guest of Miss Fanny Mudd,

DIVORCE EASY IN PHILADELPHIA. Five Grounds for Suit and the Utmost Secrecy Assured.

From the Philadelphia Evening Telegraph. Although there are on an average about 500 divorces granted in Philadelphia county each year, and there are not less than five reasons on which divorce can be obtained in the state of Pennsylvania, there are many residents of the keystone state, and some few Philadelphians, who have gone to other jurisdictions in order to obtain a separation (which is not always recognized here) from their better or worse halves, as the case may be.

Fully that number of divorces are granted Fully that number of divorces are granted by the common pleas courts of this city every year, but the number of suits of this character which are commenced during every twelvemonth more than treble it.

Why a man, or a woman, either, who has been married in Pennsylvania, or has even lived here in the married state, should go west to some of the now notorious communities where divorces are practically ground out to order for the purpose of securing what he fondly imagines is a legal divorce is almost beyond understanding. Here are five cases, upon proof of any of which he or she can get a divorce. New Jersey is practically the only state in which so great a latitude in matters of this kind is allowed. South Carolina has no divorce law, and such a thing as a legal separation of man from wife is unheard of within her borders. of man from wife is unheard of within he

borders.

New York comes next best. There an absolute divorce can only be obtained upon the statutory grounds, unfaithfulness to the marriage tie, but a limited divorce, with alimony, can be secured upon proper proof of several causes of complaint.

Out west things charge considerably. proof of several causes of complaint.

Out west things change considerably. It is true that in most of the western states there are only three causes on which a divorce can be obtained, but the laws from the standpoint of a prominent attorney are so lax that a man or woman, by the exercise of the least bit of fraud, can obtain what they desire in from one-eighth to onewhat they desire in from one-eighth to one-quarter of the time required in this state, provided they are piloted by a lawyer who knows how to go about a case when he is

knows how to go about a case when he is well paid.

In Pennsylvania the causes on which a divorce can be obtained are "cruel and barbarous treatment," "descrition" for two years, giving either party the right to begin suit after six months' desertion, although no decree will be made until two years have elapsed, "unfaithfulness," "duress and fraud," and "felony," where either party has been convicted of crime and has been in prison for two years or more. New Jersey allows a divorce upon proof of any of the same causes, but the applicant for the separation must first be a resident of the separation must first be a resident of

the separation must first be a resident of the state for at least one year.

In Pennsylvania every paper in a divorce case is jealously guarded and practically impounded, thus securing to the parties in-terested almost absolute secrecy. "All the general public usually hears," said a law-yer, "is the announcement that a decree has been granted, and all the facts which would make morsels of gossip are sup-pressed."

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ner, was one of its earliest supporters and church officers. He represented Trinity parish for three years successively in the diocesan convention, was one of its wardens and a frequent attendant at the church for some years. Several members of the congregation have suggested putting a plate with a suitable inscription on the pew in which he sat, providing it can be definitely located, but no official action has been taken as yet.

of Ryland M. E. Church are finished, and workmen are busy on the interior. The Ladles' Aid Society of the congregation has engaged to completely refurnish the parsonage, and as far as finances go is parsonage, and as far as finances go is nearly ready to do it now.

At a meeting in May it was decided by the Presbyterian Christian Endeavor Missionary Alliance that the juniors of the organization should busy themselves from then on in securing funds to establish a school. Their plans being interrupted, however, first by the gathering of money. school. Their plans being interrupted, however, first by the gathering of money for the Children's Country Home, and then by the usual summer exodus from the city, not much has been done so far. In the fall President Howard Wilbur Ennis of the alliance intends to prosecute the project with vigor.

At the last mass meeting of the local council. Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Presi-

The walls and roof of the new parsonage

At the last mass meeting of the local council. Brotherhood of St. Andrew, President P. B. Pierce called attention to the fact that some members of the organization complain of not being aware of the place and date of the meetings. In order that hereafter no cause for such complaints exist, secretaries of the several chapters were rotified to furnish the secretary of the local council, Mr. Rolla P. Currie, with complete lists of the various chapters.

the local council, Mr. Rolla P. Currie, with complete lists of the various chapters' members, so that from now on each and every member of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew will receive notices direct from the council sceretary and not exclusively from the chapter secretary.

Already the Central Presbyterian Church of this city, in connection with the Loudoun Street Church of Winchester, has raised a considerable sum of money to be applied toward the support of a mission station they are trying to establish in the province of Honan, China. Rev. Hugh W. White, who has been selected to be the missionary in charge, is diligently engaged in mastering the intricacies of the Chinese language, and when he becomes sufficiently proficient in it and a suitable location is secured in Honan the station will be organized.

will be organized.

Nearly all the services of Metropolitan
M. E. Church in the absence of the pastor,
Dr. Johnston, have been discontinued until
the end of the hot weather. The union
service on Sabbath evenings, consisting
of a song service and the regular Epworth
League service, is proving nopular. ta song service and the regular Epworth League service, is proving popular. It was expected that an attraction at the Luther Memorial Church for some days during the summer would be the presence of Mr. Prabala Ramachandrayya, the converted Brahmin, who has been so favorably received in this country. Now it is announced that he will not be here, or

at least not for some time.

A feature of Washington Grove camp meeting this year is children's meetings, which are and have been held dally in the tabernacle. Mrs. S. M. Dove, under whose leadership they are held, is especially successful in religious work among the young.

the young.
There will be no need to close the Central There will be no need to close the Central Presbyterian Church at any time this summer, for it has lately been put into complete order. Paint on the exterior and improvements to the ventilation have worked a decided change in the appearance and comfort of the edifice.

Mr. John M. Foster has been elected and is now serving as the acceptant complete.

Mr. John M. Foster has been elected and is now serving as the assistant superintendent of the Assembly Presbyterian Sunday school in place of William I. Campbell, who resigned on account of his removal to Takoma Park.

Rev. W. G. Banker of Kansas, brotherin-law of Rev. Dr. Luccock, is supplying the pulpit of the Metropolitan Presbyterian Church in the absence of the regular pastor, and will continue to do so during all of this month. The services are being held in the lecture room, on the first floor, pending the repairs to the upper part of the structure.

of the \$10,000 estimated as necessary to meet the expenses incurred by repairing the First Congregational Church, between \$7,000 and \$8,000 has been pledged and more interest.

is in sight. The committee has on hand in cash nearly \$2,000, and workmen have already completed the repairs to the roof and alterations to the ventilating system. Bids have been let for the new heating ap-paratus, and also for the new carpets. The parlors and other rooms in the southern end of the structure are to be refurnished end of the structure are to be refurnished by the ladies of the congregation.

Rev. Father James F. Mackin has ordered from Munich for the interior of St. Paul's Church a set of stations of the cross, numbering fourteen. The material of the stations is to be "carton pierre," a composition of stone, grayish in color. The carving is being done in relief, with a rill background.

of stone, grayish in color. The carving is being done in relief, with a gilt background, and each station will be three feet nine inches high and two feet eight inches wide. Trinity German Lutheran congregation will soon have a fine addition to its house of worship, in the shape of a new organ. Funds to the amount of nearly \$2.509 will probably have to be raised, and already a start toward getting it is being made. Some minor repairs to the church proper are also needed, and will probably be done in a few days.

in a few days.

Mrs. Grace Dufour Brown, organist of Mrs. Grace Dufour Brown, organist of the E Street Baptist Church, is at Chautau-qua studying the pianoforte under some masters of European reputation, and Mr. Robert Smith is filling her position until her return. The quartet choir singing at E Street Church has been discontinued for the summer, and Messrs. Andrew J. Brown and F. F. Reilly and Miss Elliot are lead-ing the storing instead

and F. F. Reilly and Miss Elliot are leading the singing instead.

Another summer home has been established at Falls Church. It is under the direction of the Sisters of the Holy Cross, who have bought a house there, which will be used this summer for persons needing rest and not able to pay for it. It is the ultimate intention of the sisters to establish a school at Falls Church

a school at Falls Church.
The tri-monthly mass meeting of the The tri-monthly mass meeting of the local union of the Brotherhood of Andrew and Philip was not held this month on account of the absence of several of the officers and many of the members from the city. The next meeting will be the semi-annual mass meeting, which takes place in this city the first Tuesday in November, The Battimore observance to be a set of the control of the city of the city. place in this city the first Tuesday in November. The Baltimore chapters are to be present at this gathering, under the new plan of semi-annual mass meetings in Washington and Baltimore, alternately.

The congregation of the Western Presbyterian Church hopes to begin the new year with an improvement to the interfer.

Washington and Baltimore, alternately.

The congregation of the Western Presbyterian Church hopes to begin the new year with an improvement to the interior furnishings of the edifice, in the shape of a handsome carpet for the main auditorium, a fund having already been created for the purpose. It is probable that extensive improvements to the edifice may be made some time during the winter.

A very handsome baptismal font is now being made for St. Paul's Catholic Church by Muller of Baltimore. It is of white marble and nearly five feet in height. The portion of the font used in baptisms will consist of .n octagonal bowl supported on four columns, both the bowl and base of the font being elaborately chiseled. A wealthy member of St. Paul's parish is the donor.

Rev. W. W. Van Arsdale, pastor of the Fifteenth Street M. E. Church, has been hard at work, ably seconded by many of his people, in getting subscriptions to the new clurch edifice building fund, and now only about \$500 remains to be raised of the amount thought necessary to have on hand before beginning. From the present outlook the corner stone will be laid about the middle of September, and then, if all goes well, the congregation may be able to occupy the lower portion of the structure before the year 1896 commences. Being so busy with this matter, Rev. Mr. Van Arsdale has not found time to go away.

It was announced some time ago that the first vice president of the District Epworth League, Mr. J. S. Barker, was arranging to have weekly meetings, probably on Saturday evenings, for the benefit of those who lead the meetings of the various chapters with selected topics on the following Sundays: Presiding Elder Luther B. Wilson was approached several days before he left on his vacation and was asked if he would undertake the duty of instructing the class thus organized. Dr. Wilson gave his consent to this, but has stipulated that the work shall not begin before September.

The exterior of the Protestant Episcopal Church of St. Margaret, situated on Conne

STEALING THE AIR.

True Tale Brought From Baltimore of an Unusual Offense.

An Anacostian, who was in Baltimore few days ago, related to a Star reporter remarkable experience he had while in the nonumental city. "While standing," says he, "talking with a policeman in the central part of the city, the manager of a bicycle establishment located near by came up and, addressing the officer, said: 'Say, officer, I wish you'd drive those

hoboes away or run them in. They're hanging around the door trying to steel our air all day long.'
"Trying to steal what?" queried the cop-

"'Trying to steal what?" queried the copper.
"'Our air. What we use to blow up pneumatic tires with,' replied the man.
"The officer looked disgusted. 'Do you fellows own the air here?' he demanded.
"'Do you rent it with the premises?
You'll be accusing somebody with running off with your sunheams next. I suppose there nobees grap a handful of air when

off with your sunbeams next. I suppose these noboes grab a handful of air when you ain't looking, jam it in their pockets and run, eh?"

"'Well, if you don't believe it, just come back here and watch,' said the manager.

"He led the way to the back part of the establishment, where he and the officer concealed themselves behind a curtain. In a moment a big tramp peered in at the door; mopped the perspiration from his face; slipped to the little rubber hose attached to the air compressor in the basement, thrust the nozzle into his steaming collar and turned the stopcock. The wind whistled through his clothes, and for a moment he was the picture of contentment. Before he could get cooled off, two more like him were anxiously waiting their turn at the nozzle. anxiously waiting their turn at the nozzle. The officer took the offender to the station house and wanted to make the charge against him petty larceny for stealing air, but had to call it disturbing the peace."

MUNICIPAL ART SOCIETY.

Paintings Which Are to Adorn a New York Court Room. From the New York Tribune.

The Municipal Art Society of New York will begin next week the decoration of the oyer and terminer court room in the new Criminal Courts building. The expense of the work, which will be borne by the society and made a free gift to the city, will be \$5,000. The commission was awarded to Edward E. Simmons in the public competition invited by the society last year, and the workmen employed in the court room will be under his supervision. The coloring of the ceiling in flat tints and the decorations of the walls not occupied by Mr. Simmons' paintings must, of course, be finished before his panels are put up. The room will be decorated by September 1, and the presentation to the city will be made early in October. It was intended that the presentation address should be made by the late Richard M. Hunt, who, at the time of his death, was president of the Municipal Art Society. The presentation will probably be made by William A. Coffin, the first vice president, or by William T. Evans, the second vice president. Mr. Simmons' middle pane', Justice, is now nearly ready to go up, and the other panels, Fraternity, Liberty and Equality, and The Three Fates, are far advanced toward completion. The central panel is a serious, impressive and noble piece of work. The handsome features of this cleareyed Justice of commanding presence, who is not represented blind, as in old tradition, are based on a study of a portrait of Mr. ing of the ceiling in flat tints and the is not represented blind, as in old tradition, are based on a study of a portrait of Mr. Simmons' wife. The cloaked female figure, holding the scales in one hand and in the other a globe with the symbol of Christian rule, in type and manner conveys an idea of dignity and control. With a drapery of the Stars and Stripes, Justice stands before closed bronze doors, set in an architrave of marble, and mysteriously suggestive of the power of the law. The arms of trave of marble, and mysteriously suggestive of the power of the law. The arms of the state and city are superimposed. Below are two youths as pages, one bearing a sword and the other doves, symbolizing condemnation and acquittal, and watching the scales. These charming figures are from drawings Mr. Simmons made from his two boys. The dimensions of the central panel are 8x15 feet, with frame, and of the other panels 8x11 feet each.

The right panel is a group of female figures representing the Three Fates. The thread of life is spun by Youth, a lovely girl, singing. It passes to Maturity, and

thread of life is spun by Youth, a lovely girl, singing. It passes to Maturity, and thence to Old Age, who cuts it. The left panel is a group of three seated female figures, symbolizing Fraternity, Liberty and Equality.

Two half globes are held by Equality, on whom Fraternity rests one hand, and with the other holds the hand of Liberty, rejoicing over her broken chains.

A Finger Pillory.

The finger pillory is still preserved carefully in the parish church of St. Helen Ashby-de-la-Zouch and is thus described: "An ancient and rather singular curiosity—
a finger pillory. This Instrument seems to
have been used for the punishment of disorderly persons during divine service. It
consists of two upright posts about three
feet high, which support a beam of nearly
the same length, in which are bored holes
of various dimensions, cut first horizontally
and then perpendicularly, in order that the
first joint of the finger may be inserted and
the finger retained in an angular form. The
culprit is then secured by bringing down
over the holes another beam, which is attached by a hinge at the end to one of the
posts and fastened at the other end by a
lock." "An ancient and rather singular curiosity-

Profit in Old Postage Stamps

From the London Telegraph. In philately many harmless persons still find recreation and some dealers substantial profit. During the season for the sale by auction of rare postage stamps, which seems to be just now drawing to a close, one firm alone has disposed of specimens of the aggregate value of £20,000. Messrs Ventom, Bull & Cooper, who hold the record, took f1,281 at their last sale, and the lots included a collection of 3,100 varieties, which fetched f210; a pair of New Zealand, water mark "N. Z.," 1d., brown, which sold for f32; a Finland, errors, 5p. and 10p., for which 500 was obtained, and a block of which £30 was obtained, and a block of four Great Britain, 1854, 6d., violet, un-used, which realized £26.

One On George.

From Harper's Bazar, Mrs. Darley-"George, dear, I went to your tailor and told him to make the pockets in your new clothes of asbestos cloth.' Mr. Darley-"What on earth was that

Mrs. Darley-"It's a fireproof material, dear."
Mr. Darley-"Well?"
Mrs. Darley-"Well, love, you know you have often complained about money burning a hole in your pocket."

Illustrated.

From the Indianapolis Journal.

Tommy-"Papa, what sort of prices are fabulous prices?" Mr. Figg—"Well, actors' salaries, as published in the papers, are usually that kind. The Star Out of Town.

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AUCTION SALES.

FUTURE DAYS. THERE WILL BE SOLD AT THE POUND, COR. 25d st. and New York ave. n.w., on MONDAY, AUGUST NINETEENTH, 1895, AT ONE O'CLOCK

P.M., one small black cow taken up in north-western section of city. By order of health offi-cer. SAMUEL EINSTEIN, Poundmaster. 1t THOMAS DOWLING, AUCTIONEER, 612 E st. n.w.

EXECUTOR'S SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY, NO. 1007 26TH STREET NORTH-WEST.
On THURSDAY, AUGUST TWENTY-SECOND, 1895, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., I will sell, in front of the premises, at public auction, the north lifteen feet of lot 6, by lifty-four feet deep, in square No. 15, improved by a two-story six-room frame dwelling, with water and sewer.
Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, with interest, secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$100 required at time of sale. Conveyancing and recording at cost of purchaser. chaser.
au17-d&ds PATRICK T. MORAN, Executor.

All the Doctors in Washington

Mr. James W. King, an engineer, who lives at 2516 F st. n.w., was cured by Dr. Walker of chronic nervous debility. He had visited nearly all the doctors in Washington, and for five years had made an effort to get well. At last he called on Dr. Walker and was cured.

Young or middle-aged men suffering from the effects of their own follies, vices, or excesses, or those who feel their youthful vigor and power declining, should consult Dr. Walker, who has been the means of restoring hundreds of such unforturates to health, strength and happiness.

His well-known sanitarium at 1411 Pennsylvania avenue, adjoining Willard's Hotel, is open daily for consultation and treatment. Office hours, 10 a.m. to 5 p.m.; Wednesday and Saturday evenings, 7 to 8; Sundays, 10 to 12.

AUCTION SALES. THIS AFTERNOON.

THOMAS DOWLING, AUCTIONEER,

RUSTEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED PROPERTY. CONSISTING OF FIVE BRICK DWELLINGS, FRONTING ON F STREET RETWEEN SECOND AND THIRD, AND A BRICK STORE AND THIRD STREETS SOUTHWEST, AND TWO BRICK DWELLING AT THE CONNER OF F AND THIRD STREETS SOUTHWEST, AND TWO BRICK DWELLINGS ADJOINING THE SAME. OR AS MUCH OF THE SAMD PROPERTY AS MAY BE NECESSARY TO PAY THE INDESTEDNESS SECURED BY THE DEED OF TRUST REREINAFTER REFERRED TO.

THE INDIGITEDRESS SECURED BY THE DEED OF TRUST HEREINAFTER REFERRED TO.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated the 20th day of May, A. D. 1890, and July recorded in Liber 1482, folio 494 et seq.. one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the vritten request of the party secured thereby, I, as surviving trustee, will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY, THE SEVENTEENTH DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1895, AT ITALE-PAST FOUR O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, or so much thereof as may be required to pay the indebtedness secured under the said deed of trust, to wit: Original lots numbered five (5) and six (6), in square numbered five hundred and eighty-three (583), in the city of Weshington, D. C., together with the improvements thereon, and all rights, &c.

Terms of sale: One-third of the purchase money in cash, and the belance in one and two years, with interest at the rate of six per cent per annum, said interest payable semi-annually, and secured by deed of trust on the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. All conveyancing and recording at the purchaser's cost. A deposit of \$200 will be required at the time of sale, or if sold in separate parcels, a deposit of \$100 will be required at the time of sale, or if sold in separate parcels, a deposit of \$100 will be required an each. Terms of sale to be compiled with in fifteen days from the day of the defaulting purchaser, after five days' public notice of the same.

GEO. H. B. WHITE, and-defads

GEO. H. B. WHITE, Surviving Trustee. au6-d&ds FUTURE DAYS.

Unusual Carriage Sellingll

See ad. of Andrew J. Joyce's Sons, page 9.

\$50,000 WORTH OF DRY GOODS, FANCY Goods and Notions, &c., to be sold at AUCTION, on the premises, No. 1132 7th st. n.w., between L and M, as the owner, Mr. Max Kohner, has decided to retire from business. He will offer his lease and fixtures after the stock has been disposed

of.

The sale will be under the management of Mr. SAM. SAMSTAG, commencing MONDAY, AUGUST NINETEENTH, AT TEN A.M. AND SEVEN P.M., continuing during the week at the same hours. All goods will positively be sold without reserve, consisting of Silks, Velvets, Laces, Ribbons, Hosiery, Corsets, Ladles' and Gents' Furnishings, Hodia Linen, Lawns, Challies, and a complete line of Dress Goods, &c.; in fact, everything to be found in a first-class dry and fancy goods store. Don't forget the number—1152 7th st. n.w., bet. I. and M.

D. D. HORTON & CO. D. D. HORTON & CO., Auctioneers.

RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., AUCTIONEERS.
(Successors to Ratcliffe, Darr & Co.) Trustee's Sale of the Furniture, Carpets, &c., contain= ed in the Hotel Lincoln, corner of roth and H Sts.

By virtue of a chattel deed of trust, duly recorded, and at the request of the parties secured thereby, the undersigned trustee will offer for sale by public auction on the premises known as the Hotel Lincoln, corner of 10th and H sts. n.w., on FRIDAY, THE TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 1895, at TEN OCLOCK A.M., the goods and chattels mentioned in the schedule attached to said trust, which councies

ust, which composes
PARLOR FURNITURE,
CHAMBER SETS,
WARDROBES, DINING ROOM FURNITURE,
BED AND TABLE LINEN, BED AND TABLE LINEN,
HANGINGS &C.
TOGETHER WITH A FULL
COLLECTION OF USEFUL
HOUSEHOLD GOODS,
USUALLY FOUND IN A
WELL-FURNISHED HOTEL,
to which I invite attention.
JOB BARNARD, Trustee,
a17-d&dbs

C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 1407 G street, Washington, D. C.

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AUCTION SALE OF ALL THE FINE STOCK, FARMING IMPLEMENTS, VEHICLES, HARNESS, HAY CORN, OATS, STRAW, ETC. ETC., ON THE FARM OF THE LATE W. W. McCULLOUGH. AT PUBLIC AUCTION.

By order of the administratrix, we will sell, at public auction, at the "Glenmary Stock Farm," adjoining the lands of Mrs. Hutchinson and Mr. Rapley, on the Colesville (or Avene) road, and about four miles north of "Takona Park," in Montgomery county, Md., on WEDNESDAY, AUGUST TWENTY-FIRST, 1895, AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M., all of the Stock, Machinery, Tools, Implements, Vehicles, Harness, Provender, &c., thereon, such as four fine Work or Driving Horses, the celebrated Stallon, "Taurlow," by Frince Order; six Thoroughbred Coits (I two-year-old, 2 one-year-old and 8 Spring Coits, all by Taurlow); 1 Mule, 2 Oxen, Fine Canopy-top Phaeton, Carriage, Buggy, Sulky, 2 Hay Wagons, meessary Driving and Working Harness, 5 Carts, Ladies' and Gents Saddles, 12 Pigs, about 150 busitels of Oats, 10 barrels Corn, 190 tons of Hay, and 7 tons Straw, all housed; about 35 acres of growing corn and 30 acres of oats, housed, Farming Implements: Buckeye and Champion Reaper and Binders, Plows of all kinds, Stump Puller and Chains, Corn Crusher, Corn Shellers and Planters, Scoop, Cradles, Mowers, Harrows, Roller, Cider Mill, Cultivators, Hay Rakes and Rickers, Wheat Drill, Horse-power Cutting Boxes, Work Bench and Tools of all kinds, and everything as found necessary on a well-kept stock farm, all of which will be found in first-class order. Household Furniture: Also Square Piano, with stool and cover; Sideboard, Extension Table, Frezer, two Churus, &c., &c.

Terms of sale: All live stock, cash; on other goods all sums of \$50 and under, cash; over that amount, a credit of three and six months will be given, secured by the notes of the purchaser, bearing interest, with stalfactory indorsement.

CAROLINE L. McCULLOUGH, Administratrix. EDWARDS & BARNARDS, Attorneys,

Col. Title ins. building.

C. G. SLOAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS, 1407 G ST.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE OF HORSES, CARRIAGES AND HARNESS, ETC., THE PROPEITY OF THE LATE WILLIAM WILLIS,
FORMERLY, PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S
COACHMAN, PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S
COACHMAN, ALGUST NINFTEENTH, 1895,
AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK A.M., at the stable, 19th
and F streets northwest, I will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following
mentioned horses, carriages and harness, being
the property of William Willis, deceased, late
President Cleveland's coachman, comprising
FAST PACING MARE, FIVE YEARS OLD; RAY
DRIVING COB, STYLISH; TWO COUPE
HOUSES, TWO SURREYS, TWO BUGGIES,
COUPELETTE, BLANKETS, ETC.; FIVE SETS
DOUBLE AND SINGLE HARNESS, ETC.
W. H. CROOK, Executive Mansion,
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Administrator.

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F. WARREN JOHNSON, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES.

I will sell by public auction, at the store of H.

K. Fuiton, No. 1215 Pa. ave n.w., commencing
TUESDAY, AUGUST TWENTIETH, AT TEN
O'CLOCK AM., all the unredeemed pledges in his
store upon which the interest is due one year or
more, consisting of Gold, Silver, Filled and Metal
cased Watches, Chains, Charms, Lockets, Cuff
Buttons, Collar Buttons, Scarfgins, Studs, Lace
Plans, Earrings, Plain Gold and Set Rings, Coins,
Medals, Badges, Gold Pens, Solid Silver and Plated
Ware, Diamonds and other precious stones, Books,
Guns, Revolvers, Field and Opera Glasses, Canes
and Umbrellas, Vlolins, etc., embracing over 1,000
lots.

Sale to continue mornings at 10 o'clock, evenlots.
Sale to continue mornings at 10 o'clock, evenings at 2 and 7 o'clock, until all the lots are sold.
Ticket holders please take notice.

H. K. FULTON,
Pawnbroker.

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Real Estate and General

AUCTION SALES.

FUTURE DAYS.

F. WARREN JOHNSON, AUCTIONEER. F. WARREN JOHNSON, AUCTIONEER.

AUCTION SALE OF UNREDEEMED PLEDGES, On FRIDAY MORNING, AUGUST TWENTY-THIRD, AT TEN O'CLOCK A.M., A.D. 1895, I will commence to sell at the establishment of E. Heidenbeimer, 1236 Pennsylvania avenue northwest, all piedges upon which the interest is overdue up to this date, consisting of Fine Diamond Rings, Plans, Stude and Earrings, Gold, Silver and Metal Watches, Horse Timers and all kinds of Fine Jewelry, Assorted Ladies' and Gents' Clothing, Books, Clocks, Music Boxes, &c., together with a class of goods generally found in a loan office. This saie shall continue at 4 p.m. same day. Ticket holders and out-of-town customers kindly take notice.

BATCLIFFE SUTTON A. CO. AUGUSTONERS. E. HEIDENHEIMER, Broker. RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., AUCTIONEERS. (Successors to Ratcliffe, Darr & Co.)

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF TWO-STORY FRAME HOUSE, NO. 3311 SEVENTEENTH STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, duly recorded in Liber No. 1767, folio 349 et seq., one of the land records for the District of Columbia, and at the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale, by public anction, in front of the premises, on SATURDAY, TWENTY-FOURTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 1805, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., the following described real estate, to whi: Lot numbered one hundred and eleven (111), in Chapin Brown's subdivision of "Pleasant Plains," as said subdivision is recorded in the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia, in Book Gov. Shepherd, page 172, together with all the improvements, rights, &c.

Terms: One-third cash, balance in one and two years, with interest from the day of sale, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser.

FULTON LEWIS.

\$100 required upon acceptance of bid. All conversancing and recording at the cost of purchaser.

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L. KEMP, DUVAL, au14-d&ds 1405 F st. n.w., RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., AUCTIONEERS. (Successors to Ratcliffe, Darr & Co.)

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TRUSTEES' SALE OF A VALUABLE THREESTORY AND BASEMENT INICK HOUSE, NO.
1722 S STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a deed of trust, duly recorded in
Liber No. 1886, folio 24 et seq., one of the
land records for the District of Columbia, and at
the request of the party secured thereby, the undersigned trustees will offer for sale, by public
auction, in front of the premises, on FRIDAY,
TWENTY-THIRD DAY OF AUGUST. A.D. 1895,
AT SIX O'CLOCK, the following described real
estate, to wit: Part of lot 62, in Fisher & Sharon's
subdivision of square 183, as per plat recorded in
the office of the surveyor for the District of Columbia, in Liber 12, folio 171, beginning on south
line of N. S street 118.96 feet west from the N.E.
corner of said square; thence west along said
street 29.65 feet to alley; thence southwest along
alley 7.51 feet; thence southwest along
said street 29.65 feet to alley; thence southwest along
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alley 7.51 feet; to beginning, together with all the
incorpovements, rights, etc.

This property will be seld subject, however, to a
prior deed of trust duly recorded in Liber 1846,
folio 455 et seq., for \$6,000.

Terms of sale: Fifteen hundred (\$1,500) deliars in
cash, the balance in one and two years, with incash, the balance in one and two years, with incash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 required upon acceptance of bid. If
the terms of sale are not compiled with in fifteen
days from the day of sale the trustees reserve the
right to resell the property at the risk and cost
of the defaulting purchaser after five days' advertisement of such resale in some newspaper
published in Washington, D. C. All conveyancing
and recording at the puchaser's cost.

WILLIAM A. KIMMEL, Trustee.

FULTION R. GORDON, Trustee.

A. J. WHITAKER, Attorney for party secured,
918 F street northwest.

BY STORMEN SON BROS., AUCTIONEERS.

DUNCANSON BROS., AUCTIONEERS. TRUSTEE'S SALE OF THREE-STORY AND BASE-MENT BRICK DWELLING, NO. 1145 TWEN-TY-FIRST STREET NORTHWEST.

By virtue of a certain deed of trust, duly recorded in Liber No. 1803, folio 145 et seq., of the land records of the District of Columbia, I, as surviving trustee, will sell, at public auction, in front of the premises, on TUESDAY, THE TWENTIETH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 1835, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., the following described land and premises, with the improvements, casements, rights, ways and appurtenances thereunto belonging, situate and lying in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, namely: All of lot numbered eighty-free (83), in William H. Degges' subdivision of part of square numbered one hundred (100), as per plat recorded in Liber No. 17, folio 91, of the records of the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia.

the office of the surveyor of the District of Columbia.

Terms of sale: One-third of the purchase money to be paid in cash, and the balance in two equal installments, payable in one and two years, with interest at six (6) per centum per annum, payable semi-annually, from day of sale, secured by deed of trust upon the property sold, or all cash, at the option of the purchaser. A deposit of \$200 will be required of the purchaser at the time of sale. All conveyancing, recording and notarial fees at the cost of the purchaser. Terms of sale to be compiled with within ten days from day of sale, otherwise the right reserved to rosell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser after five days notice of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C.

WILLIAM A. GORDON, au7-d&ds

au7-d&ds BY AUTHORITY OF THE EXECUTORS, HEIRS BY AUTHORITY OF THE EXECUTORS, HEIRS and devisees of Amherst H. Wilder, deceased, and of the Potomae Light and Power Company, the undersigned will offer for sale, on MONDAY, THE TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF AUGUST, 1835, AT TEN (10) O'CLOCK A.M., in front of the power horse of the Potomae Light and Power Company, near the south end of the Chain bridge, in Alexandria county, Va., all the Property, Assets and Franchises lately possessed by the Potomae Electric Company, and purchased by said Amherst H. Wilder at the judicial sale of the property of said company, which took place on the 25th day of August, 1894, consisting of ten and thirty-three one-hundredths (10.33) acres of land, more or less situated in Alexandria county, Va., with a brick power house erected thereon, together with all trachinery situated therein, and all the poles, wires, lamps, meters and other property of said company, both in Virghia and the District of Columbia, now operated by the Potomac Light and Power Company, a full inventory of which will be exhibited on application by the undersigned, or at the office of the company, 1223 324 street northwest.

at the office of the company, 1823 32d street northwest.

The sale will be made separately of the real estate of said company, consisting of said ten and thirty-three one-hundredths (19.33) acres of land, more or less, and the power house thereon, and of the personal property of the company, under the latter term being comprised all machinery, whether affixed to the realty or otherwise, and the rights, privileges and franchises of whatever nature, which were formerly possessed by the Potomac Electric Company, and which became the property of said Amberst H. Wilder at the judical sale aforesaid.

Terms cash. A deposit of \$500 to be paid on day of sale. Terms of sale to be compiled with in ten days, or the property will be resold, at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchaser.

Offers for the property at private sale will be received up to August 22, 1835, either by the undersigned or at the office of the company, 1823 82d street northwest, Washington, D. C.

RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., Aucts., aul3-10t

RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

au13-10t RATCLIFFE, SUTTON & CO., AUCTIONEERS. (Successors to Ratcliffe, Darr & Co.) 920 Pennsylvania avenue.

TRUSTEES' SALE OF VALUABLE IMPROVED REAL ESTATE ON DOVER STREET, IN BROOKLAND, DISTRICT OF COLUMNIA.
By virtue of a certain deed of trust, dated the 28th day of January, A.D. 1885, and duly recorded in Liber 1981, folic 225 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia, and at the written request of the party secured thereby, we, the undersigned trustees, will sell, at public acution, in front of the premises, on MONDAY, TWENTY-SIXTH DAY OF AUGUST, A.D. 1885, AT FIVE O'CLOCK P.M., all that part or parcel of land and premises, situate in Brookland, in the county of Washington, District of Columbia, and known and distinguished as and being part of lots rumbered one. (1) and two (2), in block numbered forty (40), in Benjamin F. Leighton and Richard E. Pairo, trustees', subdivision of "Brookland," as recorded in county liber 6, folics 103 and 104, of the surveyor's office for the District of Columbia, described as follows:

Beginning for the same fifty (50) feet west from E. Pairo, tractes. Solutions 103 and 104, of the surveyor's office for the District of Columbia, described as follows:

Beginning for the same fifty (50) feet west from the southeast corner of said tot one (1) and running thence west along Dover street twenty-fire (25) feet; thence north parallel with Argyle street to notth line of said lot two (2); thence east twenty-fire (25) feet, and thence south to place of beginning, with use of the alleyways reserved in the deed to George B. Johnston, recorded in Liber 1874, folio 149, of the land records of the District of Columbia, fronting 25 feet on Dover street and running back same width 200 feet, together with the improvements thereon, consisting of a two-story and cellar frame dwelling, subject to a prior incumbrance of \$900 on interest at six per cent from July 28, 1895, and payable in five years from date, and recorded in Liber 1887, folio 272 et seq., one of the land records of the District of Columbia. Terms of saile: All cash, over and above the above mentioned incumbrance. A deposit of \$100 will be required at the time of saile. Terms to be complied with within fifteen days from day of sale, otherwise the trustees reserve the right to resell the property at the risk and cost of the defaulting purchases after five days' public notice of such resale in some newspaper published in Washington, D. C. Ali conveyancing and recording at the cost of the purchaser.

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